having a total capacity of around 4760 MW have so far been fully commissioned.

Per-capita Consumption of Power

†1471. SHRI . JANESHWAR MISRA: WU1 the Ministei of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the total per-capita per day consumption of power in the country, state-wise;

(b) how this consumption compares with that in developed countries; and

(c) what steps are being taken by Government to increase the generation and consumption of power in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) The annual consumption of electricity (utilities and Non-utilities) per-capita during the year 1997-98 was 349.05 KWh. The statewise details are given in the statement, *(see* below).

(b) The annual per-capita consumption of electricity in a few of the developed countries during the year 1996 is as under:—

1.	Australia	8088
2.	Austria	5952
3.	Canada	15129
4.	Denmark	6113
5.	France	6091
6.	Germany	5596
7.	Italy	4196
8.	Japan	7083
9.	Norway	23487
10.	Russian Federation	4165
11.	Sweden	14239
12.	United Kingdom	5198
13.	United States	11796

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(c) The following steps have been taken to improve the power supply position in the country:—

(1) Incremental capacity addition programme.

(2) Promotion of inter-State and Inter-Regional power transfers.

(3) Renovation and Modernisation of existing generating stations.

(4) Coordinated operation of hydro, thermal, nuclear and gas turbine power stations in the regional power system.

(5) Promotion of measures for demand side management such as flattening of load curve by staggering of weekly off-day of industrial consumers and regulation of power supply to agricultural consumers through grouping restrictions and energy conservation.

(6) Augmentation of transmission and distribution system.

(7) Reduction of transmission and distribution losses.

Increase in per-capita consumption of electricity is linked to infrastructure developmental activities in the country, rise in GDP and increase in per-capita income.

Statement

Annual Per capita consumption of electricity utilities/non-utilities

Name of States/UTs.	(KWH)
1. Haryana	482.72
2. Himachal Pradesh	327.09
3. Jammu & Kashmir	225.06
4. Punjab	798.74
5. Rajasthan	315.84
6. Uttar Pradesh	194.08
7. Chandigarh	808.17
8. Delhi	613.02
9. Gujarat	710.53

Name of States/UTs.	(KWH)
10. Madhya Pradesh	372.82
11. Maharashtra	577.18
12. Goa	749.61
13. Daman & Diu	2720.70
14. D & N Haveli	3090.85
15. Andhra Pradesh	381.00
16. Karnataka	383.09
17. Kerala	260.41
18. Tamil Nadu	483.47
19. Pondicherry	932.23
20. Lakshdweep	217.86
21. Bihar	142.38
22. Orissa	391.20
23. West Bengal	201.30
24. A & N Islands	206.99
25. Sikkim	177.82
26. Assam	100.41
27. Manipur	138.86
28. Meghalaya	143.14
29. Nagaland	86.64
30. Trjpura	90.13
31. Arooachal Pradesh	101.20
32. Mizoram	95.14
ALL INDIA	349.05